

PRIZE FIGHTER
WAS KILLEDMike Ward, Knocked Out In
Ninth Round,

DIED THIS MORNING

The Fight Was Between Him and
Harry Lewis at Grand Rap-
ids, Michigan, Last
Evening.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Nov. 16.—Mike Ward died this morning, after being knocked out in the ninth round of a prize fight with Harry Lewis last night.

TERRORS OF CANNIBALISM.

Scarcity of Meat Leads Natives to Re-
volting Custom, Minister Says.

Portland, Me., Nov. 16.—The Rev. John H. Denson of Boston at the annual meeting of the Woman's Board of Missions here yesterday read a paper on "A Month in the Cannibal Islands," which in part was as follows:

"The Wesleyan Board of Missions in Australia told me the most savage spot in the world today was the island of New Britain, which is about the area of Massachusetts, lying north of Australia. Since I was there the house of one plant, was attacked. His wife was killed and his little babe's brains dashed out. Last year the Roman Catholic mission was attacked, five of the priests and five sisters were murdered. I tried to get some of the men to take me into the interior, but they all said it would be certain death.

BOOZE DROPS BANNED.

Washington School Children Were Con-
suming Too Many.

Washington, Nov. 16.—"Booze Drops," a favorite candy with hundreds of pupils of the Central high school, have been put under the ban by the local authorities, owing to the complaints of parents. The children come home showing the effects of liquor. The candy is flavored with rum.

BOER INSURRECTION
GROWING STEADILYAuthorities Manifest Extreme Anxiety
Over the Movements—German
Colonists Join Boers.

Cape Town, Nov. 16.—The Boer insurrection is growing steadily. The authorities manifest extreme anxiety over the movements of Ferreira and the bands operating in the Northwest section of the colony. The colonists from German territory are on their way to join in the insurrectionist movement.

FRANCIS ESCAPES AGAIN.

When Thought to Be Cornered, He
Eludes Pursuers.

Rockland, Me., Nov. 16.—Minot Francis, the escaped convict negro, has again escaped his pursuers, when apparently on the verge of capture. At daybreak, when a cordon of hunters drew together around Beachamp Point, where they had him cornered last night, the woods were empty. Aided by the terrible northeast storm he had slipped by and now his chances of escape are as good as ever. After escaping he entered a nearby house, from which the family fled in fear, and helped himself to a new outfit of clothes and food.

TWELVE BODIES RECOVERED.

Explosion in Arizona Lime Quarry Kills
Many.

Douglas, Ariz., Nov. 16.—Twelve bodies have been recovered from the wreck in the Silicia and Lime quarry where an explosion of dynamite occurred yesterday. Three more are believed to be buried in the ruins. Three victims are Americans. The exact cause of the disaster is unknown.

KILLED WHILE HUNTING.

H. J. Buell of Constable, N. Y., Was in
Woods at Lake Kuschaga.

Burlington, Nov. 16.—While hunting with a party of friends in the vicinity of Lake Kuschaga yesterday afternoon, H. J. Buell of Constable, N. Y., was shot and instantly killed.

Mr. Buell was a son of Edward A. Buell of Constable, for the past 10 years a customs official between Malone, N. Y., and Montreal. He is survived by his mother and one brother, William Buell, all of Constable.

Peary at Chateau Bay.

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 16.—A dispatch to the Associated Press from Chateau Bay, Labrador, announces the arrival there at 6 o'clock last evening of the Arctic steamer Roosevelt, which had been delayed by heavy weather further up the coast. The steamer is fogbound at Chateau Bay, and is expected to sail tomorrow for Sydney.

Complete Monument Plans.

Washington, Nov. 16.—The Jamestown Tercentennial commission has completed plans for the monument to be erected to commemorate the first English speaking settlement in the western hemisphere. Notorious Bros. of Worcester, Mass., were awarded the contract for \$46,300.

PLAINFIELD.

The Willard Hancock farm has been sold to Henry W. Wilson and wife of Prachin. Consideration, \$2,300. This farm was advertised to be sold at auction on Saturday of this week, but owing to this sale the auction will not be held.

BONI MAY SELL HIS
SONS FOR GOLDLast Desperate Effort, It Is Expected,
to Save Himself from His Credi-
tors—Count Missing in
Paris.

Paris, Nov. 16.—To sell his boys to their mother and permit her to take them from France, is expected to be Count Boni de Castellane's last desperate effort to save himself from his creditors. He has been the most generous to continue his pained life.

Mme. Gould, the name by which the former countess will now be known, realizes that her sons, George, Boni and Jay, are members of the French nobility, citizens of France and amenable to military duty. The possibility of the American mother's kidnapping her children is appreciated by the government. It is reported that secret service men are watching the de Castellane palace day and night.

Count Boni is missing. Caricatured, ridiculed and despised as the joke of Europe, Anna Gould's former husband has at last been shamed. At his apartments it was said that he had gone away for a rest. His army of creditors and nuncios were given no further satisfaction. It is thought that at last his colossal conceit has failed him. That conscious of the spectacle he has made, he has quit Paris. Some say he is merely dodging his creditors.

Madame Gould has never liked Paris, and everyone expects that she will leave soon. The only tie that detains her even now is that she may not take her children. There is much speculation on every hand as to how soon Boni's financial troubles will become so acute as to compel him to name his price for his children.

MISS IDE WEDS
BOURKE COCKRANDaughter of Ex-Governor Ide Married in
New York Yesterday—To Europe
on Bridal Tour.

New York, Nov. 16.—Bourke Cockran and Miss Anna Ide, daughter of Henry Clay Ide, formerly governor general of the Philippines, were married yesterday by Rev. F. McKinnon of St. Ignace church, in the hotel St. Regis. The wedding was comparatively small, but an interesting company was present. The drawing room of the white marble ballroom was converted into an imposing chapel with bowers of ferns, southern holly and palms dotted with white chrysanthemums.

The bride was a stunning figure in a princess robe, entirely of rose point lace over white satin. The Paris gown was practically untrifled, and she wore a splendid necklace of diamonds. Her veil was edged with a deep border of lace. Miss Marjorie Ide, her sister, was maid of honor.

Former Gov. Henry C. Ide gave the bride away. Judge Keogh was Mr. Cockran's best man.

About 25 guests were at the breakfast, which was served at a round table banked with American beauty roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Cockran left after the breakfast for a bridal tour of Europe, and on their return they will go to the Cockran country seat at Port Washington, L. I.

HEAD TAKEN OFF
BY BIG PIECE OF SLATEOwen N. Davis Killed in West Pawlet
Slate Quarry, Where Two Bro-
thers Also Lost Lives.

Bennington, Nov. 16.—Owen N. Davis was killed at the West Pawlet Slate quarry yesterday, his head being taken off by a falling piece of slate. Two brothers were killed in the same quarry.

WILL PAY DAMAGE.

Rutland Boys Mixed Up in Halloween
Pranks, Agree to Settle.

Rutland, Nov. 16.—The 11 high school boys who were trusted Wednesday on the charge of wrecking some of the funerals in the Boulevard school building, Halloween night yesterday decided to accept the offer of the court to discontinue the case if they would settle for the damage done and the cost of the court, which amounted to \$724 in each case.

The boys will be assessed \$17 for the damage at the school building. Considerable resentment has been aroused over the action of two of the aldermen who were instrumental in having a reward of \$25 offered for the arrest of the Halloween culprits.

When they found, however, that their sons were among those for whom warrants had been issued, they immediately procured counsel and instructed the boys to plead not guilty.

INDIVIDUAL BETS LEGAL.

Jockey Club Issues Statement Following
Court's Decision.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 16.—The full meeting of the Washington Jockey club opened at Benning today and there is much speculation as to the attitude to be taken by District Attorney Baker. The club has issued the following announcement:

"While bookmaking has by the decision of the court been declared illegal, betting between individuals is not a punishable offense. The Washington Jockey club will carry out strictly the court's decision in the matter pending the hearing of the appeal in the case to the higher court."

Lakes Superior Boat Burned.

Detroit, Nov. 16.—It has just become known that the Canadian steamship Strathmore was burned on Nov. 8 at Michipicott Island, Lake Superior. The crew were saved.

Several corporation bills were intro-

CORPORATION
TAX BILLAnd State Highway Commis-
sion Bills Pass House

SOME NEW BILLS

Legislature Is Making Good Headway
on the Great Number of Bills
Before It—More
Hearings.

Montpelier, Nov. 16.—Perhaps the most important act of this busy day for the Vermont legislature, was the passage by the House of the bill increasing the tax on corporations, it being an administration measure. The increase is according to a graduated scale. It provides that a railroad may pay on one per cent of its appraisal, or on gross earnings when those earnings do not exceed \$2,000 per mile of roadbed; and one-fourth of one per cent added for every \$500 per mile, up to 4 per cent. The railroads gave up the struggle against the measure in the House some time ago.

The bill establishing a state highway commission and appropriating \$30,000 for state highways, was also among the bills passed this forenoon. This bill provides for a state highway commissioner at a salary of \$1,800. The \$30,000 to be appropriated for the same, and cities according to the amount of money expended in excess of the state tax. The bill amending the charter of the Rutland and Montpelier railroad by extending the time, was also passed.

A few belated bills made their appearance today. Mr. Cady of Middlebury introduced a bill to permit the state to accept gifts of real and personal property. Mr. Jackson of Barre City for the judiciary committee, put in a bill to limit appeals from city and justice courts to 21 days instead of having them as long as at present.

Mr. Darling of Chelsea for the same committee would make it possible for the general assembly to postpone its elections of state officers if necessary. Mr. Cobb of Brighton for the committee on banks, introduced a bill to permit incorporation of the Brandon Savings bank. Acting for the Rutland National bank, Mr. Shaw of Marlboro would incorporate the Mettewee Valley Railroad company from Dorset to Lake St. Catharines. For the committee on game and fisheries, Mr. McCuen of Vergennes presented a bill to protect fish and prevent pollution of the water.

Speaker Cheney today appointed E. B. Plim of Springfield, Eli Porter of Wilmington and S. Hollister Jackson of Barre City as members of a joint special committee to audit the accounts of the state commissions.

An echo of the heated election in Burlington was heard in the House today when Mr. Alexander of Georgia, chairman of the House committee on elections, referred to an editorial in last evening's Burlington News, edited by Joseph Auld, the contestant. He said: "I wish to tell the whole assembly in answer to the article, that every material allegation set forth in the article was thoroughly and impartially considered by the committee. The contestant was repeatedly asked if he had any more evidence to produce. I do not wish this article to go uncorrected. I hope every member will read it. It accuses the members of the committee of not being men of integrity. For the committee I wish to say every thing was done to give this person a fair and impartial hearing; that person, the editor of the Burlington News, in which the article appears, was the party contestant in the election case."

Mr. Nichols of Richmond moved that the article (three columns) be read by the clerk. Mr. Plim of Springfield said the House had shown the confidence in the committee by adopting its report. He would not dispute the fact of having it read to the House. Mr. Nichols' motion was lost, 71 to 59.

The House passed the following Senate bills today:

S. 60. Aid for Interstate Railway company (as amended).

S. 70. To amend the charter of the Midland Railroad company (as amended).

S. 74. Amending act incorporating Newport, Hardwick and Montpelier Railroad company.

S. 49. To provide educational privileges for children of school age in unorganized towns or gorges (with proposals of amendment).

S. 59. To provide for further instruction of the deaf, dumb and blind, idiotic and feeble-minded.

In the Senate three bills were introduced as follows: By Senator Taylor of Caledonia county, relating to taxation of debts secured by mortgage; Governor Chase of Windham, empowering senator to appoint a boundary line commissioner; by same to provide for equipment of state storage vault.

The Senate today ordered to a third reading two Barre bills, one relating to power of city of Barre to lay streets, and the other relating to amendment of the city charter relating to public schools.

Yesterday Afternoon.

The measure to provide for a state fair which was defeated in the House three weeks ago bobbed up again yesterday afternoon through the efforts of Mr. Everts of Windsor, who introduced the bill. After a hard fight Mr. Everts got the vote reconsidered, by which the measure was killed. Then after amending it in three particulars so that the state was relieved of the responsibility for any failure that might attend the state fair Mr. Everts got the bill its third reading.

The three amendments are to the effect that the state fair commission shall have no compensation for their services, that the expense of the fair be guaranteed by the commission and that the state appropriate \$1,000 per year for two years.

Several corporation bills were intro-

duced yesterday afternoon, also one providing that towns, cities and villages may appropriate money for the observance of Old Home Week.

Among the bills passed by the House yesterday afternoon were the appropriation of \$24,000 for the support of the Soldiers Home at Bennington; providing for instruction in elementary agriculture.

Approved by the Governor.

H. 152. An Act relating to taxation of deposits in savings banks and trust companies.

H. 168. An Act to change the name of the State Agricultural Experiment station to "Vermont Agricultural Experiment Station."

H. 243. An Act to amend Sec. 2482 of the Vermont Statutes as amended by Sec. 22 of No. 44 of the Acts of 1905, relating to license to sell real and personal estate of deceased persons.

H. 280. An Act to amend Sections 2246, 2247 and 2248 of the Vermont Statutes, relating to the trustees of the Methodist Episcopal church.

H. 308. An Act to authorize the village of Bennington to refund the town of Bloomfield for the year 1906 and the Grand List for the year 1906.

Also the following joint resolution rendering the thanks of the General Assembly to the Barre Railroad company and others.

S. 55. An Act to amend No. 302 of the acts of 1904, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Rutland County Trust company," extending the provisions of the same.

Joint resolution empowering the standing committees on military affairs to visit the Soldiers' Home.

UNDER THE GLITTER
OF THE GILDED DOME.

A second hearing on the bill to prevent the fraud in the sale of granite, put forward by the Barre dealers, was held in the court-room last evening, and there was little new advanced for or against the project. Representative Ricker of Groton and John Fraser of South Ryegate opposed the bill, as did Representative Brown of Pownal, who contended that it appeared to him that "Barre granite" was used as a commercial name. That being the case, he thought that if he should find the same grade of granite down in Pownal he ought to have the right to use the name "Barre granite." In spite of the fact that it had no connection with Barre, The Barre dealers tried to show that granite from other places had been sold as the Barre article. The question was asked: "Did you ever hear of Barre granite being sold under any other name?" There was no response.

A peculiar state of affairs has arisen in Northfield following the introduction of a bill to incorporate a new savings bank. The bill was opposed by C. D. Edgerton, cashier of the Northfield National bank, who contended that the banking facilities of the place are now adequate and that barring one or two exceptions, the bank institutions already there had been able to furnish all the money needed. A. E. Denny, president of the Northfield Savings bank, already doing business, advocated the new bank. The Northfield representative, H. C. Cady, is the cashier of the Northfield Savings bank and the proposed bank is to be located in the same building. The case against the new bank said that the payroll in Northfield now amounts to \$30,000 a month, that business is booming and that they need to have money with which to erect dwelling houses. It was stated that most of the capital of the new institution would come from Northfield.

Whether or not Christian Scientists should be allowed to practice their religious healing in Vermont was considered by the general committee of the House last night. The subject has been amended so that cases of contagious diseases must be reported by the Christian Science healer at once under \$30 penalty. The Scientists were represented by Attorney John N. Harvey; and he was backed up by Representative Albert C. St. Albans City and City Engineer P. S. Smith of Montpelier, the latter of whom declared that he had been cured of tuberculosis by the treatment. C. S. Brown represented several Burlington physicians in opposition to the bill. It was the contention of the bill that the Christian Scientists do not claim to be physicians or surgeons, but that they treat by religious application.

MISSING DR. GALE.

Relatives Think He May Be in Adirondack Woods.

Burlington, Nov. 16.—Relatives of Dr. Clinton F. Gale of Wolcott, who disappeared mysteriously more than a month ago, are still looking for him. George Bacon of Smith Bros. sporting goods store in this city, who rode on the train with Dr. Gale from Cambridge Junction to Burlington on the day he disappeared, has been questioned by Mrs. Gale through a relative sent here for the purpose as to the doctors conversation on the train with him, with a view to disclosing something that might lead to the clue of finding him. Mr. Bacon says that he remembers that the doctors was cautious by a passenger near him to point the gun the other way, because the doctor laughingly remarked that it was loaded. Dr. Gale said he was going hunting in the Adirondacks. He was heartily tired of working so hard.

In view of the conversation on the train and his subsequent remarks in the store here while he was waiting for the train south, it is believed he carried out the purpose and even now is somewhere in the woods dead or alive. To this end a search will be instituted at points most likely to prove his whereabouts.

WILL PRESENT CLAIMS.

Brattleboro, Vt. Man Alleges That Deer
Injured His Young Trees.

Brattleboro, Nov. 16.—The claim of E. B. Barrows of this town against the state for damages done by deer amounting to \$150 will be presented to the court of claims in Montpelier tomorrow. Mr. Barrows owns a large apple orchard on Ames hill, in which are several thousand trees.

For some time he has been annoyed by deer browsing on his young trees. About 300 trees were damaged seriously by these animals in the past season.

SCHMIT
AND REUFIndicted On Charges Of Ex-
tortion

BY SAN FRANCISCO JURY

Reuf Admitted to Bail in \$50,000—
Says That the Charges Are Ab-
surd—Bail for Schmitz Fixed
at \$50,000.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 16.—Abraham Reuf, who was indicted with Mayor Schmitz on the charge of extortion, was released today in \$50,000 bail. He says the charge is absurd.

The grand jury yesterday returned five indictments against Mayor Eugene Schmitz and Abraham Reuf on charges of extortion. On each charge the bail was fixed at \$10,000.

The first alleged crime was in connection with the Poodle Dog restaurant, and the indictment recites that Reuf and Schmitz demanded money of the proprietor, Tony Ranco. As this demand was made it is alleged that two indictments were returned.

Extortion is said to have been practiced on Edward Marchand, proprietor of Marchand's restaurant, and is the basis of two more indictments. A demand made upon Joseph Mallanti, another restaurant man, is the alleged offense on which the fifth indictment was found.

These restaurants, which were all destroyed by the April conflagration, were frequently the cause of bitter attacks from the pulpit and the press, the accusations being made that they were immoral and a menace to the welfare of the community. The restaurants were a combination of eating and lodging and drinking houses.

It has never been directly charged that Mayor Schmitz was concerned with the so-called corruption fund, but no hesitations were made in connecting Reuf's name with the alleged illegal use of money.

CONTEMPT CASE GOES
TO SUPREME COURTExceptions in Consolidated Rendering
Company Case Signed—Judge
Royell Fined Rendering
Company \$3,000.

Burlington, Nov. 16.—John J. Enright, attorney for the Burlington rendering company, yesterday received notice that the bill of exceptions in the contempt case against the Consolidated rendering company had been signed by Judge Royell. The case will now pass to the supreme court.

The Consolidated rendering company was adjudged in contempt Oct. 31 on a charge of not having produced before the grand jury of Chittenden county all the accounts, books, papers and memoranda of the company in the investigation of the diseased meat scandal.

When the hearing came up, the attorneys for the rendering company made a motion that the contempt proceedings be dismissed. The motion was overruled by Judge Royell and the Consolidated rendering company was adjudged in contempt of court and was fined \$3,000.

Last week the execution for the fine was levied on the company's plant here. On that account it is likely that the rendering company will make a deposit which will secure the amount of the fine until the exceptions are passed upon by the supreme court.

TALK OF THE TOWN.

Three pounds best beef sausage for 25c at Yandow's Market.

Pig roast at J. W. Yandow's, 12 and 14 cents per pound.

Warren Church of Randolph was in town on business this morning.

William E. Ayers of Windsor is in the city on a business visit of a few days.

W. G. Nye of North Montpelier is visiting at the home of W. A. Bradford.

Austin McNeil, clerk in Brown's drug store, is confined to his home with illness.

Frank Lavolette returned last night from Chicago where he has been working for some time.

Gerald Knapp finishes work today in the Merchant and Fraser store, and will enter the employ of the electric road.

Among arrivals at the City hotel today are G. A. Robbins and C. G. Newton of Burlington and W. C. Brooks and C. Bennett of Boston.

S. J. Segel & Co., the Depot square clothing store, offer a large line of suits and overcoats for Saturday at prices ranging from \$5 to \$15. The stock is new.

We sell the Paris sleds. Strongest made and nicest finished sleds on the market. We invite your inspection before buying. C. N. Kenyon & Co.'s Bargain Store.

John Trow has purchased a Joy Parole a fine large weanling filly by Parole, 2:15, out of May Lutz, dam of Billie, 2:14, and Yarny, 2:24 1/2, by Billy Wilkes, 2:29 1/2, of her breeder, L. E. Brown, Delevan, Ill.

All cabbage players of Court Granite City, No. 3, E. of A. are requested to meet at Foresters' hall Saturday evening at 7 o'clock. If not enough players show up to make a team we will be forced to withdraw from the league. This is the last call. Per committee.

The Barre seconds defeated the Montpelier seconds at big pins in Daley's alley at Montpelier last evening by a total score of 3,215 to 1,025, the Barre team winning all three strings.

The three amendments to the Barre team was composed of Wheaton, Brown, Cordner, Durkin and Nelson. The highest single string was made by Wheaton, 175. The first teams of the two cities will play in Russell's alley next Tuesday evening and the second teams on Thursday evening.

WAS SPLENDID CONCERT.

Choral Art Club Entertains Large Au-
dience at Opera House.

For two hours the Male Choral Art club of Boston held spellbound a vast audience of nearly a thousand people in the opera house, last evening while the artists gave a concert that its equal has never before heard in this city. The club is composed of twelve men whose perfect blending voices made music that won the hearts of the audience from the opening selection to the close. So enthusiastic were the people that encores had to be given after all but two of the twelve numbers on the programme, making nearly a double programme of what had first been arranged. The two former Barre people are members of the club lent increased interest to the coming of the club to this city. J. R. Kenyon, second bass, was formerly in business in this city and Joseph Vianu, a second tenor, was a student at Goddard seminary. Mr. Vianu was one of the soloists last evening and his beautiful singing was a great pleasure to his many friends in this vicinity, who were present. Others who contributed solos were Mr. Wilson, Mr. George J. Parker, Mr. Babcock and Dr. Page.

A good word is due Granite lodge, No. 35, F. & A. M., under whose auspices the club came here and through whose bustling efforts such an unusually large audience was brought over. It was not only a Barre audience but there were many people present from Montpelier, Northfield and Williamstown. It was a concert long to be remembered in the musical circles in this city.

A MUSICAL PROGRAMME TONIGHT.

St. Monica's Fair Continues to Draw
Large Crowds.

St. Monica's fair drew another large crowd last evening, there being about 400 people present. The faro, "Limerick Boy" was very enjoyably presented. The dancing is being most liberally patronized and the ladies in the booths are kept busy dispensing their many articles. This evening a musical programme has been arranged and will be followed by a short faro entitled, "Mrs. Willis Will."

DANCING FREE TONIGHT UNTIL 10
O'CLOCK.

Pianist, Mrs. J. E. McSweeney.
Soloist, Miss Rose Cook.
Pantomime—Five Foolish Virgins
Matti's Wants and Wishes
German Song—Misses Cook and White
Duet—Dreaning
Misses Devere and Drungould

Drama—Mrs. Willis Will.
Mrs. Robinson—Miss Blanche White
Lady Spindle—Miss Mary Drungould
Mrs. Drindle—Miss Mabel Cook
Jennie—Miss Agnes Cook
Rachel—Miss Blanche Broderick

RESULTED IN A TIE.

Clan Gordon and Manchester Unity Won
Four Games Each.

The cribbage contest last evening between the Manchester Unity and Clan Gordon teams resulted in a tie, each side scoring four points. The result by tables was as follows:

Johnson and Kennedy, M. U., de-
feated Birnie, C. G.; Tierney and
Mills, M. U., defeated McLeod and Bid-
dell, C. G.; Smith and Oliver, M. U.,
defeated Stewart and Beagrie, C. G.;
Ritchie and Murray, M. U., defeated
Scott and Gaul, C. G.

McKay and Inglis, C. G., defeated
Bressett and Grant, M. U.; Gordon and
Dewie, C. G., defeated Parker and Oliver,
M. U.; Keith and Webster, C. G., de-
feated Stewart and Leith, M. U.; Mun-
roe and Dennis, C. G., defeated Thomp-
son and Harmon, M. U.

The C. O. F. and R. M. teams are to play Monday, November 19.

Following is the standing of the teams:

	Won	Lost	Pct.
R. M.	11	5	.687
C. O. F.	8	8	.500
C. O. F.	7	9	.438
M. U.	7	9	.438
C. G.	5	11	.313

CONDITION OF TRADE IN BARRE.

As Reported by Secretary Smith of the
Granite Cutters Union.

Secretary A. M. Smith of the Granite Cutters Union reports the condition of trade in Barre in the November Journal as follows:

For the past three or four months very few granite-cutters have been visiting the sheds here in search for employment, but lately I observe their visits are getting more frequent—sure sign that the work is caught up to some extent. None of the firms are discharging men in round numbers as yet, only letting one or two go at odd times. However, the past summer has been a very busy one here in the granite industry; in fact, the busiest I can remember, so we cannot know if work is not quite so plentiful during the winter season. A few of the brothers are leaving for their periodical visit to Europe, but others are coming in to fill up the vacant places, at least the bunch of traveling cards turned in lately show that the membership of our branch is not decreasing.

The firm of Young Bros. here has had a 300-foot shed completed for them, which is one of the very best we have seen. There is plenty of air space—none of the essentials the granite cutter needs in these days—also a number of large ventilators on the roof, which ought to carry off a quantity of dust. The equipment the Young Bros. have put in is up-to-date in every respect, from the powerful steel traveling crane down to the grindstone. All the machinery is run by electric power, which completely does away with derricks, ropes, shafting, belts, etc., an improvement which ought to save time and expense.

STRUCK BY LOCOMOTIVE.
Thomas Lynch of St. Albans Seriously
Injured.

St. Albans, Nov. 16.—Thomas Lynch, a section hand, was struck by a locomotive in the railroad yards here this forenoon and was badly injured. It is thought he is not fatally injured, but just how bad he has not yet been determined. He was cleaning snow from the yard and because of darkness neither the engineer or fireman saw him.

STREET RY.
TIED UPSnow Storm Puts It Out Of
Commission

FOOT OF SNOW FELL

Warren C. Nye, Weather Prophet, Says
That the Snow Will Remain Until
Into December—Predicts
Rough Weather.

Fully a foot of snow fell in and near Barre last night, which with the little that fell Monday and Tuesday makes good sleighing today. Outside of Barre, on the hills, nearly a foot fell the night of the week, and with what fell last night there is nearly two feet of snow now. The storm began about 7 o'clock last night and in the first hour nearly three inches of snow fell. Shortly after 8 o'clock the street car line was obliged to suspend operations and up to noon today had not cleared their tracks for a resumption of travel.

Two carloads of Montpelier people who came up to attend the concert, were obliged to wait for the midnight train on the Central before they could return home, but several Barre people in Montpelier